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For: **STREAM CIPHER ENCRYPTION METHOD AND APPARATUS THAT CAN  
EFFICIENTLY SEEK TO ARBITRARY LOCATIONS IN A KEY STREAM**

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is respectfully requested that the Certificate of Correction be issued.

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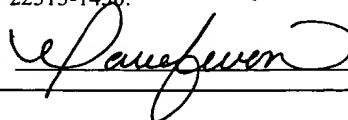
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It is certified that an error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 15.

Line 62. "storms" should read -- storing --,

Column 16.

Line 4. "sanction" should read -- function --,

Line 6. "pseudonym" should read -- pseudorandom --.

Line 41. "far" should be -- for --.

Column 17.

Line 11. "concentrated" should read -- concatenated --.

Line 16. "mote" should read -- more --,

Line 59. "mans" should read -- maps --.

Column 18.

Line 54. "selectins" should read -- selecting --.

Line 52. "compromises" should read -- comprising --,

Column 20.

Line 10. "storms" should read -- storing --.

Line 12. "storms" should read -- storing --.

Line 24. "the nonlinear "confusion" functions t" should read -- the nonlinear "confusion" functions f --,

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